## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AND ORDER--CIVIL

DATE: February 21, 2019

James E. Shelton, et al.,

Plaintiffs, CASE NO. 1:19CV0081

v. COURT REPORTER: N/A

Direct Energy, L.P., et al., Magistrate Judge David A. Ruiz

Defendants.

Attorney for Plaintiff: Jonathan P. Misny Attorneys for Defendant Direct Energy,

L.P.: William B.Thomas, Ashley L. Oliker

Plaintiff James E. Shelton Attorney for Defendant KAA Energy, Inc.:

Gregory G. Guice.

PROCEEDINGS: The court held an in-person case management conference on February 21, 2019. The parties agreed to initially focus discovery on the issue of whether plaintiff Shelton provided prior express consent. The court set a discovery deadline of 90 days for discovery related to this issue, that is, on or before May 22, 2019.

The parties shall provide a joint proposal of revised case management dates to the court within 45 days, that is, on or before April 8, 2019.

The court set a telephone status conference for Thursday, May 16, 2019, at 10:00 a.m. Eastern time. Only counsel are required to participate in the May 16 call. The court will provide conferencing instructions at a later date.

The parties have provided a proposed protocol for electronic discovery, and a proposed protective order, which the court will review for adoption.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Total Time: 40 minutes s/ David A. Ruiz

David A. Ruiz

United States Magistrate Judge